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Commerce Department Shows Trade Increase

California Secures 5th Place as Export State

California not only increased its foreign trade from $53,196,442 for the first quarter of 1924 to $55,593,508 for the second quarter, but also superseded Illinois in the struggle for export trade by jumping from sixth to fifth position among the states of the union, according to statistics just released by Dr. Julius Klein, director of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

This increase in trade was made up chiefly by shipments of refined petroleum, which showed a valuation improvement from $14,982,647 to $24,470,367 in the two quarters. Other increases were recorded in oranges, crude petroleum and vegetables, exports jumping from $1,665,299 to $2,553,489, $1,621,767 to $2,118,906 and $1,029,252 to $1,586,765 respectively.

Total exports for the half-year amounted to $108,789,950, well above those of Louisiana, its nearest competitor, with exports valued at $102,769,452, followed in order by Illinois, with foreign shipments totalling $104,112,065; Michigan, $96,689,549, and Virginia, $70,734,197. States leading California in value of exports were New York, Texas, Pennsylvania and New Jersey.

This is the second time in the history of government trade statistics, according to Dr. Julius Klein, that an attempt has been made to show the relative position of the different states in export trade. It is planned to issue these figures quarterly.

Gas Employes to Dance at Livermore

Livermore, Sept. 19.—A big barn dance will be given for the eastbay section of the Pacific service employes association in this city Saturday evening, September 20, according to the invitations sent out by the Berkeley office of the Pacific Gas and Electric Co. The affair will be held in the opera house, and the company's employes in the Livermore valley will be hosts of the occasion. Everyone is instructed to wear his "old clothes."

Formal Permission Is Granted S. P. to Operate

The city council was informed Monday night in a communication from the railroad commission that the S. P. was granted permission to operate a ferry service between Richmond and San Francisco, and that a certificate of public necessity had been issued.

The company must begin service not later than February 1, 1925, unless delay is granted by petition.

Secretaries Convene

The bay district conference of commercial secretaries is holding its regular monthly meeting at the Hotel Whitcomb in San Francisco today. Miss Catherine Beam, secretary of the Martinez chamber of commerce, and Sheriff R. R. Veale, secretary of the Contra Costa county chamber of commerce, are attending, as members of the organization.

Southern California Is Slowing Down

San Francisco, Sept. 18—Bank clearings, as reported to the California Development association by the several clearing house cities for the week ended Thursday, September 11, 1924, shows the amount of increase or decrease from the amount reported the corresponding week last year. (Each period included only five business days):

San Francisco, $148,600,000; increase, $10,400,000.

Los Angeles, $117,826,000; decrease, $11,792,000.

Oakland, $15,664,107; increase, $1,038,952.

San Diego, $9,636,350; increase, $610,328.

Long Beach, $5,899,851; decrease, $2,272,802.

Hollywood, $5,240,994; decrease, $1,254,420.

Sacramento, $10,700,025; increase, $3,166,138.

Pasadena, $4,453,022; decrease, $220,630.

Fresno, $4,771,651; decrease, $81,126.

Berkeley, $3,607,827; increase, $196,172.

Stockton, $2,714,400; decrease, $103,600.

San Jose, $2,405,808; increase, $13,058.

Auditor Reports On City's Assets

There was a total of $191,547 in the various city funds on the 1st of the month, according to the auditor's report to the city council Monday night. The amounts in various funds were:

General fund, $63,930.80.

Library fund, $2,364.18.

Compensation insurance fund, $19,369.46.

School fund, $2,896.36.

Memorial building fund, $2,048.23.

Tax sale redemption fund, $2,840.15.

Harbor improvement fund, $78,685.71.

Park and playground fund, $12,737.16.

1912 bond fund, $2,776.62.

1922 bond fund, $1,466.72.

1924 bond fund, $2,931.61.

Health Center Report Is Submitted

Director Mrs. N. L. Purviance, in her report to the city council Monday night, stated that 407 visits were made to the health center for treatment during the month of August. Of this number 271 were treated.

There were 42 new patients, and 133 were treated at the dental clinic. Sixteen families were treated during the month, at a total expense of $85.33.

Chest Organizers Start Campaign

The Richmond community chest campaign will soon be on. The starting signal will be the blowing of sirens and a general awakening.

Business Brisk

Poundmaster Frank Meader did a good business in August, his report showing that he corralled 65. Of this number 37 went the gas route, the remainder being redeemed.

Death of Frank Chance Marks Passing of Great Player

Modesto, Sept. 18.—Many baseball fans of the San Joaquin valley are mourning the death of the peerless leader of the national game, Frank Chance, who was so well known here in his native home, the San Joaquin. His death was unexpected, and the news from the Good Samaritan hospital in Los Angeles was a shock to his many friends here, as well as to those who knew him all over the coast.

Ball Game 7 to 1

The San Pablo Piutes defeated the Richmond team Sunday by a score of 7 to 1 at San Pablo. Batteries—Pinto and Rose, Powers and Lanecti.

New Residents

Mr. and Henry Gardner and daughter, formerly of Hayward, have moved to Richmond. Mr. Gardner is with the S. P. Co. Mrs. Gardner is a sister of Mrs. Guy W. Hemlick.

Another Newspaper

Oakland Sept. 18.—Oakland has another daily newspaper, organized labor being the promoters. "The Daily Record" is the name of the publication, which carries 16 pages. Stanton W. Lore is editor and business manager.

The Explanation

A tourist with his bride asked a driver if there was anything remarkable about the mountain they were ascending, and he answered: "No, nothing peculiar about the hill itself, but there is a queer story connected with it."

"Please give us the legend."

"Well, once upon a time a young lady and gentleman went up this mountain together. Hundreds of people saw them go higher and higher until they disappeared, and they never came back."

"What became of them?"

"They went down on the other side."

A New Disease

Reporter—To what do you attribute your longevity?

Oldest Inhabitant—My what?

"Your longevity."

"As far as I can remember I ain't never had such a complaint."—London Answers.

Scarecrow Today Is Thing of Ingenuity

Nowadays the scarecrow is more often a little engine than a thing of tatters.

The laziest of us love contriving devices. And often the man who is half-hearted over a job of digging is a smart and enthusiastic workman when it comes to making scarecrows. He will spend half a day putting up something that will work in the wind.

If he be no carpenter, he will probably content himself with making yards and yards of kite's tail. He knots bows of paper or of rag on a great length of string and stretches the string again and again across his seed-bed, and the bows twist and flutter in the wind.

That is effective. You have movement, which, after all, is the thing most needed in a scarecrow. Movement of any little thing is really more suggestive of life than an old coat. And anything that dangles on a string will move in the open. So you hang tins and bits of glass from an old beanrod, and they wink in the sun as the wind blows them about. Heliographs innumerable dot-and-dash their messages over gardens and allotments and the birds wonder what war is on and keep away.

"I Saw It in THE TERMINAL."

Ceiling Plaster to Be Made Safe, Says Architect

Richmond's Junior high school has been declared safe by Architect A. A. Anderson of San Francisco, who has made his report and submitted the same to Supt. W. T. Helms.

In his report Anderson recommends the strengthening of the beam at the front of the stage in the auditorium.

He also recommended heavier lath for the ceiling, with heavy galvanized staples.

He said that with a nominal thickness of plaster the ceiling should give no more trouble.

Anderson said he made a thorough check of the building and finds the structural work safe.

August Tax Receipts

The city tax collector did a fairly good business in August for a vacation month.

Gross receipts, $5643.89. Police court fines were $2338. The receipts at the municipal wharf were large, $1686.67.

Tax Rate Not High

At the meeting of the city council Monday night the tax rate for Richmond was finally fixed at $2.

Granted More Time

The Hutchinson Company was granted an extension of thirty days to complete the East Richmond paving contract.

Will Plant Trees

War mothers are planning to attend the tree planting ceremony to be held at Palo Alto tomorrow. The fare is $1.

Effect of Panama Canal

The sailing distance from New York to Japan's great port of Yokohama was shortened about 8,000 miles by the opening of the Panama canal as compared with the former route by way of the Suez; to Shanghai, China, about 1,500 miles; to Melbourne, Australia, nearly 3,000 miles; to Wellington, New Zealand, about 3,000 miles as compared with the shortest sailing route by way of the Strait of Magellan; to Vladivostok in Asiatic Russia about 7,000 miles; to the west coast of South America the sailing distance was reduced to about one-third that formerly traveled by way of the Strait of Magellan at the southern tip of South America.

City in Brief

Mrs. James T. Narbet has returned from Sacramento where she represented the order of Amaranth.

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James F. Hoey subbed for Exated Ruler Alstrom Tuesday night at 1251 B. P. O. E. "Jim" got away with it.

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There were 2179 fire inspections made during August, according to the report of Chief Cooper.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Kerfoot have returned from a vacation trip to Oregon.

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The Misses Marjorie and Valeria Davidson are at Catalina island on a two weeks' vacation.

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The appointment of E. D. Henry, patrolman, was approved by the city council Monday night.

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A. McMahon has purchased a cozy bungalow at Thirtieth and Clinton.

The loss caused by the Monterey oil fire is estimated at $3,000,000.

Western Division of C. of C. to Meet in December

San Francisco, September 18.—The second annual conference of the western division of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States will be held in Los Angeles December 2 and 3.

Paul Shoup, vice-president of the Southern Pacific railroad, and acting vice-president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, will preside in the absence of Henry M. Robinson of Los Angeles, who will be in Europe at the time as a member of the Dawes reparations commission.

In the tentative program already outlined, one of the big issues for discussion will be the waste in government and business. Other topics that will have a prominent part on the conference program will be the business of farming, the shipping problem of the Pacific coast and reforestration.

Realtors Awarded One Hundred

Martinez, Sept. 18.—The board of supervisors Monday voted $100 to aid the Contra Costa realtors expense money for arranging the county's exhibit at Pasadena in October.

The realtors are programed to make the trip to Pasadena in an auto caravan, piloted by an aeroplane.

Japan Telephones

If you call central on the telephone in Japan the operator says "moshi, moshi" when she answers you, and then asks you "nanban," which means "number, please." Suppose you were calling Aoyama 1243, you would say, "Aoyama issen ni hyaku go ju san-ban." At the close of a telephone conversation the Japanese say "sayonara," which means "goodby."

Just So

The magistrate banged a gavel, opened a book containing the plumbing regulations, and was ready for the first prisoner.

"You are charged with disturbing the peace."

"Your honor—"

"What have you to say to this charge?"

"I did not think that was such a serious offense."

"A generation ago, maybe not. But times have changed. What little peace there is should not be disturbed."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Wearied

"I aim to move!" growled old Sol Swagg of Fiddle Creek. "I'm plumb wore out by these yur northern tourists that come roaring through yur in their motor cars, running over chickens, dogs, children and all such or stopping to ax a feller if he's 'stilling much licker these days or has helped lynch anybody lately, and so on. I'm so tired of being made either a joke or a solemn warning that just as soon as I can get around to it I'm going to move out into my private swamp, some'rs, and—by grab!—stay there!"—Kansas City Star.

Her Wisdom Tooth

A dentist in a small village in a settled part of New York state had extracted a tooth for an extremely nervous woman. She admitted that she had no money with which to pay the fee.

"Oh, that's all right," the dentist assured her; "just tell me your husband's name, and I'll charge the amount."

"W-W-Wal, I'm that upsot I-I-I just can't think now what his name is," stammered the woman. "You see, I allers call him pa!"—Youth's Companion.

Board of Supervisors Refuse Application

Franchise For Belt Line Applied For

A franchise for the construction of a belt line railway along the inner harbor waterfronts asked by E. S. Lewis of San Francisco in a letter received by the city council and read at Monday night's council meeting.

The railway would connect with the S. P. main line at Potrero ave., thence to Virginia to Garrard boulevard.

It is stated that Lewis is acting for a number of Richmond business men and property owners, who want to see some activity in the opening up of the inner harbor, and some interest taken in industrial extension.

The application of Lewis will be investigated, and it may develop that the wharf at the foot of 10th street will materialize—in time.

Mrs. O'Brien Honored

Martinez, Sept. 18.—Mrs. E. E. O'Brien returned from the democratic convention at Sacramento, where she attended a banquet of the women's democratic club. One of the principal speakers was former Senator James D. Phelan. Mrs. O'Brien was elected a member of the state central committee for the third congressional district.

Northern California Co. Denied Bridge Franchise

The Northern California Development Co's. application for a franchise to build a bridge across Carquinez straits was denied by the board of supervisors Monday.

The vote against granting the franchise was unanimous.

Signers to the petition submitted by the company numbered 6000.

The proposed bridge is to span the straits between Eckley in Contra Costa county and Dillon's Point on the opposite shore. The company will act on the advice of their legal department, and claim that the question will be settled by the people on the November ballot.

Gerlach Brick Factory Ready to Start

Alvin Gerlach, who is with his father, John G. Gerlach, in the new brick manufacturing company at Stege, announces that by the middle of next week they will be turning out their product.

The machinery is in place and the drying racks completed. A force of 25 men will be employed at the plant.

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MODERN BANKING

How It Has Changed Since Pre-War Days

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IN OUR opening discussion of modern banking methods we pointed out how important a factor in securing new business a well arranged and attractive street window could be made. But when the possible depositor has been drawn by the window display into the bank does the modern banker drop his efforts to secure the patronage of those attracted by the window display? Not by a jug full. He simply replaces "publicity" by "service" and endeavors to make the newcomer appreciate the fact that the bank is at his command.

"Service" was not on the list of the duties of the old time banker. He was there to receive, guard and lend money. Only that and nothing more. Today, however, if you step into any large city bank like that of the Humboldt on Market street, you are greeted at the very door with a sign, "Information" and there, behind a desk or counter usually sits a very charming and polite young lady who is prepared to answer any and all questions, "instanter."

Do you want to know to which department you must go to transact your business? She will tell you. Nor are her duties by any means confined to helping you with your financial transactions in and with the bank. The first order one bank had when it opened an information department was for the purchase of an Airedale dog to be shipped to a patron up the country. Another bank began its information business by buying a Morris chair for another up-country friend.

Here comes a lady from Idaho. She walks as though she were lame, but she is not, she is only trying to manipulate her first pair of French heels. "Miss Information, I am from Idaho and I have just bought this new pair of shoes and find the heels are of wood and I cannot walk in them. Do you know where I can get leather heels put on?" Miss Information does. "Just around the corner you will find a shoemaker who will change them while you wait." Mrs. Idaho is most grateful and leaves carrying the card of her informant. French heels may not seem to have much to do with banking, but the next day she shows up with her new leather heels, thanks Miss Information again and concludes to transact some banking business she has with this very accommodating bank, where besides, she can have the assistance of Miss Information.

Here comes a little woman with a small parcel which she is carrying carefully wrapped up in her arms. "Does Miss Information know what is the jewel for this month?"

She does. It is the diamond. And what is the flower of this month? A rose. Then the fond mother will name the little darling who is in the parcel, as it proves on opening it, "Diamond Rose." But as she goes away she carries a beautiful card in colors upon which she can put all the data connected with baby's birth, and which contains the suggestion that it would be "so nice, you know" to start a savings account for Diamond Rose if only with a dollar. Mama thinks so too, and the account starts and continues until Diamond Rose has a jewel and flower of her own.

But you may ask: How can a small town bank utilize the "Information" idea. There is perhaps only one movie in the town in the way of a theatre; everyone knows the stores, and train time is also of equally general knowledge. This is true, but the farmer visiting his bank, or his wife who comes to town with him, wants to know many things just as well as city folks. It is not necessary to keep a special department in the country bank for information, no doubt, but there can be some clerk, preferably a woman, whose regular work will permit of her adding the duties of "Information."

TWO KNOWN DEAD IN MONTEREY FIRE

OIL TANK BLAZE SPREADS TO CITY AND DOCKS

ESTIMATED PROPERTY LOSS IS $2,500,000.00

Fired by Lightning Early Sunday Morning, Associated Oil Company Tank Starts Catastrophe—800,000 Gallons of Oil and Gasoline Added to Raging Caldron.

The Dead

PRIVATE GEORGE BOLIO; 38 years old; Boston, Mass.; tailor of headquarters troop, Eleventh cavalry.

PRIVATE EUSTACE WATKINS; 22 years old; Burlington, Vt., attached to Battery E, Seventy-sixth field artillery.

Known Injured

LIEUT. MARTIN FENNELL, head and face burned.

CAPT. S. R. LAFFETRY, minor cuts and burns.

ROLLIN WATKINS, secretary of Monterey chamber of commerce; slight burns.

HAROLD ROBINSON.

SERGT. E. S. PETERSON; head and face burned.

JOE MACHADO, cuts and burns.

HARRY ELASIO, Monterey traffic policeman, cuts and burns.

ALFRED GONZALEZ, foot cut.

In addition, two soldiers and six civilians are missing.

Partial list of the properties lost in the Monterey oil fire:

Associated Oil company, entire plant, $600,000.

Standard Oil company, entire plant, $150,000.

Funston & Gross cannery, $100,000.

California canneries, $100,000.

Lawrence warehouse, $50,000.

U. S. A. fire apparatus, $5,000.

A. C. Heidrick, residence, $10,000.

Sheldon L. Gilmore, residence, $7,000.

Dr. A. Szay, residence, $5,000.

A. H. Johnson, residence, $5,000.

Manuel Muniz, residence, $5,000.

Telephone and telegraph lines, $2,000.

Southern Pacific railroad property, $2,000.

Highway, half mile between Monterey and Pacific Grove.

Monterey—Monterey was once more threatened with destruction when a tank of crude oil burning on the Associated Oil company's property boiled over, followed soon after by the explosion of a 50,000-gallon gasoline tank.

Blazing oil and gasoline rolled out on the surface of the bay and the wind carried it to within 300 feet of the Booth cannery and the Monterey municipal wharf. Four fishing scows, valued at $700 each, were burned.

Fortunately, the oil burned out before it reached the main waterfront. A second explosion from the crude oil tank was feared.

The damage done by the fires and explosions was summoned up as follows:

Two men dead; at least eight others unaccounted for; eight known injured; telegraph and telephone communication crippled; power lines, roadways and railroads destroyed.

Monterey.—Fire in a huge storage tank of the Associated Oil company here, that had been fired by lightning, ended in catastrophe when a nearby gasoline tank exploded and sent a roaring inferno of burning oil sweeping through the town to the sea.

Six hundred soldiers from the Monterey presidio and numerous civilians fighting the blaze were directly in the path of the burning oil flow.

Two of the fighters are known to be dead and many injured.

The burning oil belched forth from five huge tanks and poured down toward the bay, engulfing two big canneries and a half score of small buildings.

Panic reigned as the troops and the civilians ran in terror from the molten fire.

The tank was that which was fired by lightning in the morning, and it contained 55,000 barrels of low gravity crude oil. Each of the other four tanks which went up in the blast at 4:30 o'clock are said to have contained a similar amount.

In the gasoline tank was stored another 50,000 gallons of combustibles.

The tragedy followed a freak electrical storm that hit the countryside. There were rain, thunder, lightning, and then the big Associated Oil tank went up with a deafening roar. It had been struck by a bolt. The imminent danger was realized from the first.

U. C. Student Killed

Oakland.—Alan Dale Smith, 22 years old, University of California senior and president of the Alpha Beta Phi fraternity, was killed early Sunday morning when the automobile in which he and two other students—a youth and a girl—were returning from a "party," plunged over a cliff on the Wild Cat canyon road, near Orinda park, nine miles northeast of Berkeley. Theodore Eggert, 22, fraternity brother of Smith, and Miss Adeline Schott, 19, 1836 Clinton avenue, Alameda, escaped unhurt.

CALIFORNIANS OBJECTS OF MEXICAN INDIGNITIES

Sister of Mrs. Evans and Her Husband Mistreated by Officials of Southern Republic—Will Protest to Washington.

Nuevo Laredo, Mex.—Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Pettus, the latter the sister of Mrs. Rosalie Evans, the Puebla property owner assassinated by Mexicans after defending her property against communists, have just escaped from here across the border into the United States.

The two were in Mexico attending the religious services over the body of Mrs. Evans and were returning to the United States via Laredo. In Nuevo Laredo they were taken from the train by Mexican government authorities and detained. The Mexican authorities threatened to seize and confiscate their baggage after they had searched it without avail. Other obstacles were placed in their way.

News of their predicament finally reached the ears of the American consul, who protested against the treatment they were receiving. After communicating with Mexico City they and their baggage were released.

Pettus is commander of the United States marine hospital. He and his wife are American citizens. Mrs. Pettus is the heir to the estate of Mrs. Evans, who had no children, and is believed to be on the way to Washington to make formal protest against the seizure by the Mexican government authorities of the Evans hacienda in the state of Puebla.

U. S. S. COLORADO JOINS PACIFIC FLEET IN SAN FRANCISCO BAY

San Francisco.—The big sister of the three mightiest battleships afloat, the U. S. S. Colorado, is anchored in San Francisco bay to take her place with the battle fleet of the United States, after a year of exhaustive trials, of which her long dash from Hampton Roads to San Francisco was the final test of speed and endurance, and she is now ready for a place on the battle line. She is not only a super-dangerous floating fortress, but is about as near unsinkable as any ship possibly could be. This is largely due to her electric drive, which does not require that her machinery be connected with the propellers by shafting. A wire is all that is necessary to transmit electric power from its source to the place where it is used. It is thus possible to doubly protect her "vital organs" by watertight bulkheads.

The Colorado is a sister ship to the Maryland and the West Virginia. All of them carry sixteen-inch guns, and no other battleships in the world carry armament that heavy, with the exception of two battle cruisers in the Japanese navy.

JAPANESE MAY INTERVENE IN CHINESE WAR TOKYO REPORTS

Tokyo.—Disorder and unrest in the forces of General Chang Tsolin stationed at Mukden, principal city of Manchuria, have resulted in a strong protest from the Japanese consul-general there. Press dispatches received here say that as a result of the situation the Japanese consular police are held in readiness for action at Mukden and that Japanese troops may be called out to preserve order.

The Chang Tso-lin troops are concentrated at Mukden to move south towards Peking for an attack on the forces of the central government in Chihli province, headed by Wu Pei-fu.

Gen. Hines, Chief of Staff

Washington.—Major-General John L. Hines, hero of the wars with Spain and Germany, has become chief of staff of the army succeeding General John J. Pershing. Hines is a native of West Virginia and graduated from the United States Military academy in 1891. He was succeeded as deputy chief of staff by Brigadier-General Dennis E. Nolan, a native of New York, who was commissioned at West Point in 1896.

Sees Insanity for Boys

Charlevoix, Mich.—Insanity yet will overtake Nathan Leopold, jr., and Richard Loeb, and the country will know that Judge John R. Caverly, who sentenced them to life imprisonment for the murder of Robert Franks in spite of the state's demand for hanging, was right, Clarence Darrow, chief counsel for the defense, declared here at the summer home of Albert H. Loeb, father of Richard.

Methodists to Meet in Stockton

Santa Cruz. — The invitation of Stockton to hold the conference in 1925 in that city was accepted at the seventy-second annual conference of the California Methodist Episcopal church here because of the opening of the Methodist Educational Institution, College of the Pacific, at that place.

D'Annunzio Invited to Japan

Rome. — Gabriele D'Annunzio has been officially invited to go to Japan by the Japanese poet, Harukici Scimoi, on behalf of the Japanese association, Kapris, which is supported by many prominent Japanese.

250,000 at Fascist Funeral

Rome.—The streets of Rome were packed with 250,000 persons when the funeral procession of Armando Casalini, murdered Fascist deputy, wound its way from the Church of San Giacomo to the Cemetery Verano.

STATE LETTER

Around Capitol and State Institutions

Law Enforcement Bureau Proposed

Holding that adequate control of crime in California during the future depends on establishment of a strong state bureau charged specifically with the duty of campaigning against criminal activities of every sort, Clarence S. Morrill, director of the State Bureau of Criminal Identification, is now preparing data which is expected to form the basis for legislation in this connection when the 1925 legislature convenes.

Morrill advocates formation of the State Bureau of Law Enforcement to concern itself not only with identification but arrest and prosecution of criminals. He holds that the present bureau of identification, with its files of criminal records, would serve as a nucleus around which the proposed department could be organized. He says:

"This department would not prove a new burden to the taxpayer, but in my opinion would assure him greater protection than it is now possible to give him. The state already has many inspectors connected with its various departments, such as the fish and game commission wardens, the board of pharmacy inspectors, the motor vehicle department traffic officers and the parole officers. These men could be used in combating the criminal and should be so used.

"At present the various departmental inspectors are employed to enforce the laws relating to specific departments. If these officers were all placed under jurisdiction of a central bureau of law enforcement and given the duty of enforcing all laws, great good would result and crime would very probably be decreased materially without appreciable new expense to the state government."

The state school department budget for 1925, being prepared by Will C. Wood, state superintendent, will request appropriations for a new state teachers college in San Francisco and a new home for deaf and dumb children in Berkeley. The teachers college, or normal school, in San Francisco, erected in 1898, is declared to be unfit for present needs. The construction of a new building on the site of the Berkeley institution is sought in order to segregate blind and deaf children.

The state finance board authorized issuance of $2,000,000 worth of veterans' welfare bonds to carry on the work of extending farm and home aid to former service men. The securities will be sold October 19 and will bear 4¼ per cent interest. Only $4,000,000 will remain from the original $10,000,000 bond issue with the sale of the block authorized. It has been said that an attempt probably will be made to have the next legislature authorize an additional $10,000,000 issue.

Members of the national guard between 19 and 22 are to be given the opportunity of competing for admission to West Point. The secretary of war has requested Governor Richardson to select from the guard three men to represent California in the entrance examinations, which are to be held at West Point. Preliminary examinations to test the qualifications of candidates will be held in California under the supervision of Adjutant General Mittelstaedt.

More than 200 students in the University of California the concluding year were benefited by forty-two scholarships offered for undergraduates. The university executive points to the showing as an example of the growing opportunities offered by the university to ambitious students who require added resources to get through college. Prizes for scholarships range anywhere from $10 to $500 a semester.

Recommending that the money be used as the nucleus of a fund to construct a student union building on the southern campus, the executive committee of the University of California has returned $283, surplus of a relief fund collected at the southern branch at time of the Berkeley fire.

The California Irrigation society has turned over to C. S. McClure, state engineer, a fund of $50,000 raised by private subscription in San Francisco and Los Angeles to complete a water survey of the state. An additional $50,000 will be raised, it was announced.

Attendance at the seventieth annual state fair averaged 20,000 daily—the highest average ever attained—it was announced by Secretary Charles Paine.

Young men and women with legal or insurance experience are being sought continually by the state compensation insurance fund. The salaries range from $100 for beginners to $275 for executives. Positions may be obtained through the state civil service commission, Forum building, Sacramento.

Approximately 350 delegates are expected to attend the convention in San Francisco, beginning September 29, of California school superintendents.

CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

Berkeley will improve its school facilities to the extent of a $2,800,000 expenditure.

Adolphe Cusel, 33, automobile race driver, who was injured at San Jose, Labor day, died.

The Pacific Coast Association of Port Secretaries will meet in San Francisco next year.

The Belvedere water corporation will sell 94 per cent of $250,000 worth of 6½ per cent bonds.

Fire of supposed incendiary origin razed the Garfield grammar school of Oakland. Loss $270,000.

Edward Wilson, a farmer of Elk Grove was shot and killed by his 15-year-old son, Russell, while deer hunting.

Berger & Carter company of San Francisco, has been purchased by A. M. Castle & Co., iron and steel jobbers of Chicago.

Ground has been broken at San Luis Obispo for laying 438,000 square feet of concrete. The entire contract will cost $109,356.18.

Two fires at Eureka did $60,000 damage to the court house and to buildings in the business district. A fireman was severely injured.

Mrs. Cora Amick Kirk of Chicago, a summer resident of Montecita, died after a short illness. A daughter, Mrs. Paul Clagstone, lives at Burlingame.

The Standard Oil company is erecting two steel derricks on land recently leased in the vicinity of the San Emidio ranch, southwest of Bakersfield.

Michael Menihan, 80, hotel man, died at Cloverdale, where he owned and ran the United States hotel for more than forty years. He and his wife recently celebrated their golden wedding.

Miss Mildred LeBonte, a professional nurse of San Francisco, committed suicide at the home of a sister in Alleghany, Sierra county. The act was attributed to ill health.

Mrs. Delphine Schuller, bigamous bride of Marius A. Miller of San Rafael, was held to answer to the Santa Rosa superior court on a charge of feloniously marrying Miller.

Workmen placed a stone marker in the bed of the American river at Colma where Sutter's Mills stood and at which spot James Marshall discovered gold. The marker is sixteen feet high.

George W. Goethels, Panama canal builder, has conferred with Oakland city officials on the possibilities of a water supply from the Hetch Hetchy, Eel river, Mokelume and upper Sacramento projects.

Dr. Luther Michael, floral enthusiast, has offered a silver loving cup to the woman who raises the choicest dahlias in San Leandro. He also agrees to give 100 women a choice dahlia bulb to raise for the contest.

Mrs. Catherine M. Nicol of San Francisco, will inherit the entire estate left by her mother, Ruby Cowper Smith, who was found dead by her maid in her home at Santa Barbara. The estate is valued at more than $100,000.

Permission to the Communists to use the Oakland auditorium for a meeting on September 30 for William Z. Foster, candidate of the Communist party for president, was denied on the recommendation of the chief of police.

James D. Whalen, who has been appointed assistant United States attorney for San Francisco, was born in Alameda county, and has been for more than seventeen years in the government service, in the appraiser's department.

The Sacramento river is now at the lowest it has been since records have been kept, with the result that the salt water has been creeping up and displacing the fresh. Made desperate by thirst, cattle drink the salt water and die shortly thereafter.

Since the death of Henry Gage in Los Angeles, there are left of California governors, George C. Pardee of Oakland, James N. Gillett of San Francisco, Hiram Johnson, Will Stephens of Los Angeles, and the present incumbent, Friend W. Richardson.

Rainbow division veterans of California concluded their three-day convention at Sacramento after choosing Los Angeles for the 1925 convention. The following officers were elected; Carl Tibbal, Sacramento president; James Clausen, Sacramento, vice president; Frank Littel Los Angeles, secretary-treasurer.

Six new oil wells were begun in Kern county recently, according to statistics compiled by the state oil and gas supervisor, three in the Sunset district and three in the Midway field. Six tests for water shutoff were reported, five being in the Midway and one in the McKittrick field. Eight deepening and redrilling jobs were reported.

Plans for a new industrial city in southern California, to accommodate several large manufacturing concerns and approximately 15,000 people, were recently completed, which will involve the investment of several millions of dollars. The property to be utilized adjoins the Mountain Meadow country club, between San Dimas, La Verne and Pomona, on the main lines of the Santa Fe, Southern Pacific and Pacific Electric railroads. H. C. Hookstia, prominent Riverside banker, leads the new corporation.

Judge Lewis R. Works of the Second district court of appeals, in a ruling that speed trap testimony against motorists is entitled to no standing in California courts, declared that the testimony of a traffic officer is void unless the officer at the time of arrest is dressed in a distinctive uniform and patrolling upon the highway on which the arrest is made and in plain sight of persons traveling thereon, and advanced the opinion that section 155 of the motor vehicle act, which specifically rules against such testimony, was framed with the idea that the traffic officers should, by their presence, help to prevent law violation instead of lying in wait for the sole purpose of bringing about punishment. The opinion strongly denied that the legislature in the wording of section 155 had usurped the functions of the judicial branch.

State Deputy Thomas P. White of the Knights of Columbus, has announced the appointment of district deputies and state committeemen for the twenty-six districts of California, and of officials to direct the Columbian Squires and Catholic activities bureau of the order. Officers named for the Columbian Squires are: Judge Frank J. Murasky of the San Francisco juvenile court, chairman; Thomas K. Adlard of Los Angeles, vice-chairman; Judge Ernest Weyano of Colusa, John Barrington of Fresno and Joseph P. Coyle of Los Angeles. James A. Bacigalupi of San Francisco, is chairman of the lecture bureau, and Thomas P. Daly of Calexico, and Bertrand Donlon of Oxnard, are vice-chairmen.

An additional sum of $10,000 for carrying on the work of the lower Sacramento river control project has been provided by the federal and state governments, which brings the total amount subscribed by the government for this work to $50,000. The money is being used to make surveys of the lower Sacramento control project and the Iron Canyon project, which contemplate the erection of a barrier across the bay at some point below the combined mouth of the Sacramento and San Joaquin rivers for the purposes of creating a fresh water supply for municipal, industrial and irrigation purposes.

When Ray Falvey, Burlingame banker, was married to Miss Cecile Pinkham at St. Catherine's church there, every member of his family, except his mother, lent assistance to the affair. The marriage license was obtained from his sister, Miss Eleanor Falvey, chief deputy of San Mateo county. The marriage was performed by Rev. Father Robert Falvey, who was assisted in the ceremony by the Rev. Arthur Falvey and Norbet Falvey, all brothers of the groom. Miss Dolorita Falvey was bridesmaid.

Reduction in county expenses through the abolition of a number of offices and bureaus is urged in resolutions adopted by the Glenn county grand jury and ordered presented to the board of supervisors. Abolition was asked of the farm adviser, county bee inspector, county library service and agricultural club leader and reduction of the county justices from eight to three and constables to a similar extent.

Revision of the state motor vehicle act to make municipalities, rather than individual drivers of fire engines, responsible for accidents occurring on an emergency run, was recommended at Pasadena at the opening session of the State Firemen's association's second annual convention. Another piece of proposed legislation would require all paid fire departments to maintain two platoons of firemen.

Cy Moreing, one of the leading figures in Pacific coast baseball about fifteen years ago when the outlaw league flourished in California, died at his home at Stockton after several weeks' illness. Moreing, retired from baseball for several years, took an active interest in the affairs of the Sacramento Coast league team. He was in the highway construction and real estate business in Stockton at the time of his death.

The mystery that shrouded the disappearance of Watrous Earl Green of Alameda, was believed solved with the finding of bones in a secluded spot in Prunedae anyon, twelve miles from Salinas. Green was 37. A search for him was made all over the state, without result. The skull that was found was pierced with a bullet and a rusty revolver and a box of cartridges were found nearby.

Wandering antelope in extreme northern California and southern Oregon have several times engaged in playful races with motorists. Some of the fleet-footed animals, of which there are approximately 8,000 between Alturas and Klamath Falls, Oregon, have been timed by speedometers and are capabl eof forty-five miles an hour.

The San Jose district attorney is investigating a fight between two under cover dry agents for the county, in which one of the agents and a woman were shot by another agent. The fight took place after a series of raids around Morgan Hill. All had been drinking the "evidence."

Due to the efforts of the Modesto Radio club, Modesto has been chosen as the meeting place for the fifth annual sixth district American Radio Relay League convention. About 300 members of the league are expected here for the sessions, November 7 to 9, inclusive.

Four Richmond councilmen were vindicated in their action, last June, in discharging eleven members of the fire department, including the chief. Despite apparent bitter division between factions, the incumbents had no trouble in maintaining their offices at the recent election.

MONOTONY OF RUM ROW LIFE LED TO MURDER

Tragedy Revealed Through Complaint of Mother of Victim.

Atlantic City, N. J.—The cordon of silence which surrounds Rum row, outside the 12-mile limit off Atlantic City, was punctured recently by the tale of a murder committed months ago on one of the veteran vessels of the booze trade. Two governments, the British and American, joined hands in the case.

It is a tale of fierce hatred induced by the monotonous life of the sailors, who pass weeks riding at anchor in waters safe from revenue cutters. And if it had not been for the mother of the murdered man, who waited in vain in Ireland for the money he sent her each month, the account never would have reached the ears of the authorities.

November 26 the body of Robert Pike, a twenty-four-year old sailor, was sewed in a sack and slid off a board into the Atlantic.

Killed in a Brawl.

Pike, according to Robert D. Clarke, Department of Justice agent from Philadelphia, was shot and instantly killed in a brawl on the British steamer Genevieve.

From his talks with sailors now aboard the Genevieve, Clarke is sure that the brawl was the outcome of the galling life the men lead, a life of ostracism from all the glittering joys of port and all the quieter joys of home.

Only One Passenger Put Out From the Genevieve.

According to tales that filtered through from Rum row all efforts to escape ennui were futile. One night a fight started and Pike was the victim.

Chalmers the Slayer.

A short time later a lifeboat bearing only one passenger put out from the Genevieve. That passenger, so Clarke relates, was Louis "Frenchy" Chalmers, erstwhile able seaman of the vessel and thirty-four years old. The crew of the Genevieve heard no more of Chalmers.

A short time ago Atlantic City police, who have been working with Clarke, had a telegram from New Orleans detectives. The telegram said Chalmers had been captured there as he was about to board a vessel for France. He will be held for the British authorities. The crime is one for the British to deal with, as it was committed on high seas under the flag of England.

The United States Department of Justice became involved when the British ambassador at Washington, at the request of Pike's mother in Dublin, started an investigation. The mother knew the name of her son's vessel and through it he was traced.

Pike was a British subject. His home port is listed as Kingston, Jamaica.

Boys Pull Tombstone Over on Companion

Jamaica, N. Y.—A boyish prank came to a sudden, tragic ending when a heavy gravestone which five schoolboys were trying to uproot in St. Monica's cemetery toppled and fell on Chester Obutelewoz, fourteen, of 47 Church street, Jamaica, and pinned him to the earth.

The boy's companions ran screaming from the cemetery, which is at Prospect and Beaver streets, and called Patrolman Patrick O'Hannon of the Jamaica station.

With the assistance of several passersby the patrolman succeeded in lifting the 200-pound monument from the boy, who was taken to Mary the Immaculate hospital, where he died half an hour later of a fractured skull.

According to the incoherent story told to the policeman by the boy's playmates, among whom were two brothers of the injured lad, they had tired of baseball and swimming and had entered the cemetery seeking new amusement. A long rope was procured by one of the lads and fastened around a large monument. Exerting their full strength the boys tugged at the stone. Suddenly it fell, pinning Chester beneath it.

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A Slip Up

Gentle little four-year-old Jane is a model child as a rule, but now and then she "slips up." She has been forbidden to take a spoonful of sugar out of the sugar bowl and eat it as children are apt to do. One day the temptation was too strong, and while her mother's back was turned she helped herself to some sugar. Her mother turned around, shocked and indignant.

"Why, Jane, whatever made you do that?"

"But, honey, I didn't know you were going to turn round," was the gentle answer.—Indianapolis News.

Back Given Out?

It's hard to do one's work when every day brings morning lameness, throbbing backache and a dull, tired feeling. If you suffer thus, why not find out the cause? Likely it's your kidneys. Headaches, dizziness and bladder irregularities may give further proof that your kidneys need help. Don't risk neglect! Use *Doan's Pills*, a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. Thousands have been helped by *Doan's*. They should help you. *Ask your neighbor!*

A California Case

Chas. Shepard, 824 E. Washington St., Stockton, Calif., says: "My back was lame and when I stooped, I could hardly straighten. My kidneys acted irregularly, too. They acted so freely that my rest was broken at night. The secretions contained sediment. Doan's Pills rid me of the trouble completely."

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Difficult to Please

A Lancashire man was taken by his friend, who owned horses, to the races for the first time.

The friend had a "certainty" running in the first race, and encouraged his companion to back it. He did so, and after an exciting finish the horse won by a short head.

The owner did not meet his friend again until the starters were out for the last race, when he whispered confidentially that he had a good tip.

"Nowt doing," came the quick reply. "T'other only just won."—London Tit-Bits.

Ain't It True?

"All things come to him who waits."
"Yes—including poverty and old age."

Brought up on a Farm

As a young man Dr. Pierce practiced medicine in a rural district and was known far and wide for his great success in alleviating disease. He early moved to Buffalo and put up in ready-to-use form, his Golden Medical Discovery, the well-known tonic for the blood, which is an extract of native roots. This "Discovery" of Dr. Pierce's clears away pimples and annoying eruptions, tends to keep the complexion fresh and clear. It corrects the disordered conditions in a sick stomach, aids digestion, acts as a tonic and enriches the blood. Vim is sure to follow its use. All dealers. Tablets or liquid.

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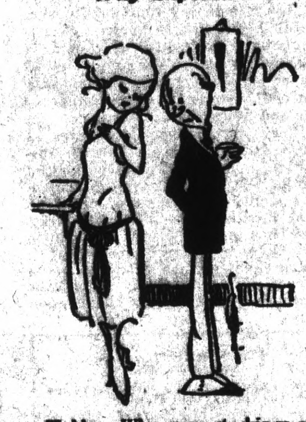
England Still Linked With Past Centuries

The latest assize town to be bereft of its javelin men is Chester. The custom of providing an escort of javelin men for the judges during assizes is, of course, a survival of times when "might" and "right" were too often synonymous, and justice needed the sword quite as much as the scales. But these days are past, and as the sheriff has to foot the bill for their services the javelin man is dying out, London Answers remarks.

While old ceremonies are lapsing, however, we are recovering—or uncovering—other links with the days "when knights were bold." For instance, an old sallyport and screen wall have been found during excavations in connection with the improvement of Cardiff castle. The sallyport is an exit from the old wall which surrounded the town of Cardiff and is believed to be unique among the remains of the old walled towns of Britain. It dates from the twelfth century.

Another interesting discovery made recently was that of a complete arch of the ancient Trent bridge, Burton-on-Trent, which was built by monks in 1174. The arch is in perfect preservation.

Why Expensive



Hubby—Why, your stockings cost more than I spend for my whole wardrobe.

Wifey—Well, why not? Who ever looks at your clothes?

Crater Within Crater

It is reported that within the crater of Mount Mazama, Oregon, is a subcrater which forms an island in the midst of Crater lake. The lake is surrounded by the high volcanic rim of the mountain, the water filling in the opening which once spouted fiery lava and desolated the surrounding territory. Wizard island, the subcrater, has long puzzled scientists. It is heavily wooded, and the crater within, which rises nearly 800 feet above the level of the lake, is filled with snow the year round. How deep it is has never been ascertained. The lake around the inside crater is about 2,000 feet deep, with wonderfully clear water. The mountain is in the center of the national park, which was not long ago set aside.

German Grain Mills

A feature in the economic life of Germany suggests the Old world, and a good way back. Germany has 41,000 grain mills, most of them yielding from five to six tons daily.

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When you sign the initiative petition for a franchise to bridge Carquinez Straits, you are helping to bring this Two Million Plus to the County. Our representatives are now in the field securing signatures. We need your approval and support. Getting 2,500 signers in seven days is a big job. Help us out by signing when the petition is offered to you.

The petitions must be in the hands of the County Clerk September 5. The Supervisors can grant the franchise on September 15, 1924, otherwise the Ordinance must be placed on the ballot at the November election.

The Choice is Between Progress and Inaction

We are ready to build the Bridge AT ONCE—if Contra Costa County wants it.

We Seek No Exclusive Rights—We Oppose No Other Project.

We expect an enormous industrial and commercial development on both sides of the Straits within the next ten years. We are 100% believers in the future of the County.

There is no danger that there will be too many arteries of traffic leading to Northern California.

Sign the Petition that Means Prosperity

This initiative petition asks that a franchise be granted to the NORTHERN CALIFORNIA DEVELOPMENT CO. to construct a suspension bridge between Eckley and Dillon Point. It provides tolls that are approximately 40% below present ferry charges, and protects the rights and interests of the voters in every respect.

We Pledge to Contra Costa County

1—The greatest speed possible in pushing actual construction of the bridge. THIS MEANS REAL ACTION! The Northern California Development Co. has been incorporated by substantial and conservative business men who are in dead earnest about this bridge-building job. The plans are ready, the surveys are made. A suspension bridge ideally located at the narrowest part of the Straits offers no serious engineering problems. WE ARE ALL SET and READY TO GO.

2—The fullest co-operation with all civic and commercial bodies of the County in hastening the growth of the District that is destined to become the Industrial Heart of California.

3—The material for the construction of the bridge will be purchased just as far as possible in Contra Costa County.

4—The labor will be hired in Contra Costa County.

5—We will make no move to oppose the building of additional bridges across the Straits when and if any group or company feels there is need of them. We seek no special privilege or monopoly. We stand ready to take our chances with ANY AND ALL COMPETITION.

Our Success Means

1—More people trading in the County.
2—More people coming here to live.
3—More traffic through the County.
4—Better transportation for the County's products.
5—More business, more jobs, more prosperity for everyone in the County.

Bridge Pioneers

The men who compose the Northern California Development Company are those who, more than two years ago, organized the San Francisco Transit Company, of which the present company is the successor. They then made the first application for a franchise to span the Straits. Had they received a franchise then, automobiles would be rolling across the bridge today.

There we have stated our program. We need and ask the ACTIVE SUPPORT of every man and woman in the County. We are confident that our plan will win an ENTHUSIASTIC APPROVAL.

Lend a Hand

Get in touch with the citizens who are active in pushing this legislation for a bigger better more prosperous County. SIGN the petition when it is presented to you.

When you put your John Henry on the list, you are DOING A REAL SERVICE TO YOUR COUNTY AND TO YOURSELF.

BE SURE YOUR NAME IS THERE!

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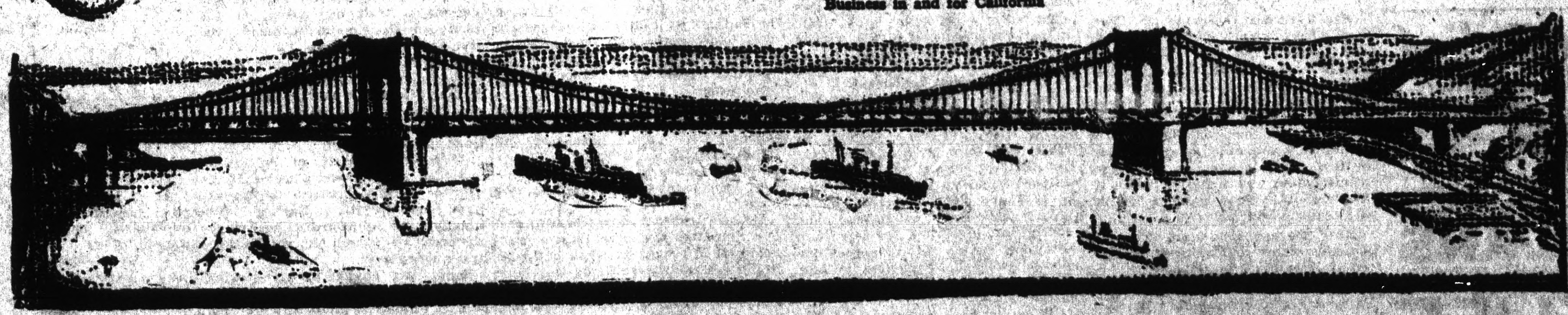

She—When you heard the burglar in your bedroom did you rise?

He—No; but my hair did.

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Riding Habits, of Course

"Yes, she has the worst habits of any girl I know."

"You surprise me—I thought her quite correct."

"You've never seen her on horseback, I suppose?"

Laura H. Ryan, Real Estate.

WAS ONLY JOE

He—Thought I saw you with your favorite author at the window a while ago.

She (blushing)—But it wasn't Arthur, Mr. Smarty—it was only Joe.

Of the inhabitants of Mexico, less than one in three, on the average, is able to read and write.

Very Lucky

Turtle—You're certainly lucky that you don't have to wear stockings. You'd have some trouble getting a pair to fit besides the price you'd have to pay!

THE TERMINAL, Richmond's industrial newspaper.

Cause for Ego

She—He thinks every girl is stuck on him.

He—Naturally. His dad made all his millions manufacturing glue.

The ?

Wife—How does it set in the back?

Hubby—O. K. But how will you set? That's the question.

"Hey, there! It is forbidden to walk on the railroad tracks."

"Have a heart! We are here to escape the automobiles."

Mrs. Vivian Hendon

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Riverside.—"As a blood purifier and system builder I can highly recommend Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. My blood was thin and impoverished; I had severe headaches, and my back ached. I was nervous, had very little appetite and was in a general run-down condition, but after taking Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery my health returned very rapidly; my blood was in a good healthy condition. I could eat, and was entirely rid of all rheumatic conditions; in fact it made me feel like a new being for after my blood became good and healthy all other ailments and distress left me."—Mrs. Vivian Hendon, 173 E. Fifth St.

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DEMOCRATIC MEET GOES TO NEW YORK

NATIONAL COMMITTEE SELECTS EASTERN METROPOLIS

SAN FRANCISCO SECOND IN CHOICE OF BURBONS

Withdrawal of Chicago Swings Victory to New York.—Strategy of Illinoisans and Tammany Apparent in Final Choice.

Washington.—The Democratic national committee selected New York as the 1924 convention city on the third ballot. New York got fifty-seven votes, San Francisco forty and St. Louis six. Withdrawal of Chicago swung the victory to New York.

The resolutions committee retired to draw up recommendations for the opening date of the convention, and it is understood that June 24 is favored by the committee.

The first ballot failed to show a choice, New York led with thirty-nine votes. San Francisco had twenty-three, Chicago twenty-two and St. Louis eighteen. The second ballot resulted: New York forty-seven, San Francisco twenty-nine, Chicago eighteen, St. Louis eleven. Chicago withdrew after the second ballot.

San Francisco's case was presented by Isadore Dockweiler and Mrs. Charles F. Donohue. Great emphasis was placed by Dockweiler on California's climate, and he declared that San Francisco's financial inducements were without paralell in political history.

"Take this $200,000," he said, "and give us the same opportunity of serving you as we served you in 1916, when California cast her electoral vote for the Democratic nominee. The same situation prevails today as in 1916, and California stands a good chance of going Democratic."

St. Louis spokesmen came next. They were Mayor Kiel and Representative Hawes. "We have everything in St. Louis that Chicago boasts," said Mayor Kiel, "and we have everything that San Francisco has except possibly the ocean. But we will make that up to you if you come to St. Louis."

New York was forced to raise its original bid in order to capture the convention. The first New York offer was $150,000 cash, to be given to the national committee and the provision of Madison Square garden in which to stage the convention. The offer was overshadowed by San Francisco's bid of $200,000 with another $100,000 for entertainment. Confronted with this situation and fearful that the convention might be again lured to the Pacific coast by the very force of financial considerations, the New York contingent got together in the late afternoon, did some long-distance telephoning to New York and came back to the committee room just before the balloting started with the announcement that an additional check of $55,000 would be guaranteed the committee, making a total of $205,000 and eclipsing San Francisco's offer by $5,000.

Dockweiler on behalf of San Francisco, immediately met this by raising San Francisco's offer to $205,000 and the session of the committee had the appearance of an auction room in which there was spirited bidding.

S. F. CLUBMAN AND ENGINEER BURNED TO DEATH ON RANCH

San Francisco.— Samuel W. Cheyney widely known mining engineer and member of the Pacific Union club of this city, was burned to death on his Butte county ranch early Sunday morning, according to word sent from Chico. The charred remains of Cheyney were found in the debris of the ranch home which was destroyed by fire. He was alone in the house. Identification was made by Dr. D. H. Moulton, Cheyney's intimate friend and family physician.

Mrs. Cheyney has been living in Berkeley where their son and daughter are attending the university.

Cheyney was a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania. He had extensive mining and land holdings in California. Twelve years ago he bought and improved the Rio Seco ranch, fourteen miles south of Chico. Mrs. Cheyney was formerly Miss Elizabeth Wall, socially prominent in Oakland.

English Labor Party Growth

London.—The Labor party in England since 1900 has increased more than 21-fold its number of representatives in parliament and more than 37-fold its total vote. In 1900 the party elected nine representatives in parliament and polled 118,003 votes. In 1923 it elected 192 members and polled 4,386,845 votes.

Fast Crooks Get $500

Los Angeles.— Working with the speed and dexterity which bespoke practice, two bandits, operating in a light touring car, robbed ten persons in a series of holdups in the university district, all within thirty minutes. The crooks obtained $500.

Leased Convicts Mutiny

Montevallo, Ala.—Mutiny broke out among the state-leased convicts employed by the Thomas Weller Coal company at Alderich Machinery and trucks in the mine were blown up.

TAX CUT PROGRAM IS A VICTORY FOR COOLIDGE

Advance Over Bonus in Right of Way President's First Test With Congress; Bonus Supporters Losing Confidence.

Washington.—That President Coolidge's first test with congress on a matter of policy resulted in a complete victory for him was the interpretation put on the action of the house Republican caucus, which by an almost unanimous vote gave tax reduction the right of way over the soldier bonus.

The caucus ordered the ways and means committee to report the Mellon tax reduction program to the house by February 1 and after that to take up the bonus bill.

The nearest the bonus advocates came to victory on anything was when the caucus, by a bare three votes, 97 to 94, refused to put house Republicans on record as promising both bonus and tax legislation at this session. There is now less assurance among bonus supporters that the soldier measure can be passed over the president's veto. A week ago it seemed certain the bonus would sweep all before it and might even displace temporarily the tax program. But administration leaders from President Coolidge argued so strongly and the pressure from "back home" is so tremendous for tax reduction that there was never any question at the caucus but that the president's demand that taxes come first would be satisfied.

WILLIAMSON COUNTY RESORT BURNED—INCENDIARY ORIGIN

Marion, Ill.—Fire, thought to be of incendiary origin, destroyed an alleged blind tiger near here in the first manifestation of violence in connection with Williamson county's prohibition war since state troops arrived to maintain order after Sheriff Galligan announced the situation had "reached the riot stage and is beyond my control."

The placed burned was unoccupied following the arrest some time ago by deputized klansmen of Mike Mische, charged with selling liquor on the destroyed premises. Tony Noroni, owner of the place, frequently has been convicted on dry law violation charges.

INSANE PASTOR CAUGHT NEAR NAPA AFTER A HARD BATTLE

Napa.— Insane and in serious condition from wounds inflicted upon his head, the Rev. T. N. Ryder who, while armed with two rifles, preached a sermon to the congregation of the Methodist church at Arcata, near Eureka, and disappeared, was captured near Calistoga after a battle with Deputy Sheriff Carl Pierce, who came upon Ryder on the highway, and the pair fougha for some time before the pastor was subdued.

Ryder told the deputy that he had been attacked in the hills and his head injured, but it is the belief that the wounds are self-inflicted.

FORMER CAFE OWNER LEAPS TO DEATH FROM APARTMENT

San Francisco.—Joseph Hoffman, 67, owner of several apartment houses and former cafe man, committed suicide by jumping from a fourth story window of his apartment. According to his widow he had been despondent for some time because of cancer, which had confined him to his bed for several weeks.

Early in the morning he requested her to leave the apartment to see about some work on the lower floor. In her absence he lifted the window and jumped. He died instantly.

Thaw Suit Is Settled

Philadelphia.—Confirmation was to be had here that the suit for $650,000 against Harry K. Thaw, brought by Frederick Gump, jr., of Kansas City, the result of charges that Thaw had whipped Gump in a New York hotel in 1917 and had subjected him to "gross and savage indignities," had been privately settled for less than $100,000. Thaw's family oppose his release from the Pennsylvania hospital for the nervous and mentally diseased.

New Dry Chief For L. A.

Washington.—A. R. Harris, late of Kansas City, is the new prohibition supervisor to be sent to Los Angeles, as quickly as possible, to succeed E. E. Hunt who resigned under mysterious circumstances shortly before the New Year. Harris was in the prohibition field service at Chicago before being transferred to Kansas.

Red Army Backs Trotsky

London.—The Russian red army is supporting Leon Trotsky, commissar for war, in his dispute with the Communist International. Predictions are made that Trotsky may become Russian dictator.

Shipping "Dictator" at Work

Washington.—With unlimited backing from President Coolidge, former Admiral Leigh C. Palmer has taken up the task of trying to put the American merchant fleet on a secure, paying basis. Palmer became, to all intents and purposes, "dictator" regarding the merchant fleet.

Fiume Settlement Looms

Rome.—Official announcement was made that Italy and Jugo-Slavia are approaching a settlement over the Fiume dispute.

CALIFORNIA NEWS BRIEFS

43 NEW OIL WELLS STARTED IN ONE WEEK

Thirty-four new wells were started in California fields for the week ended January 5, the report of the state oil and gas supervisor shows. Of this total, 20 wells were in the Torrence field and 6 in the Long Beach fields. Midway started 3 new wells and the following one well each: Santa Fe Springs, San Luis Obispo county, Sunset, Elk Hills, Kings county.

Already, the department of mines and mining of the Sacramento chamber of commerce is planning to make the 1924 convention of the American Mining Congress, to be held in October, the most notable gathering of mining and oil men ever held in the United States. A Pacific coast exposition of mines and mine equipment will be held in connection with the convention. Mining tours too the different active camps in northern and central California for the delegates, will also be arranged.

All litigation of the Rodeo Vallejo Ferry company for the right of way and sites for the Carquinez straits bridge from Valona, Contra Costa county, to Sarrow's Cove, Solano county has ended, according to stipulations of judgment filed in Superior court. The action was against Joseph Civilettil of Valona, condemning the property owned there by him.

Frank P. Simons, Belvedere clubman who staged a "suicide" by drowning in November, 1919, when he left his clothes on a little beach at Belvedere and disappeared, was located at Mount Vernon, Wash. He admitted being the man and his wife has returned $5,000 of collected insurance.

A. A. Willoughby, who has edited and published the Healdsburg Enterprise, for the past four years, will retire and the owner of the paper, R. E. Baer, will resume the management. Baer has been postmaster at Healdsburg for the past nine years and has been succeeded by George Pearson.

Reclamation and irrigation officials and experts of the Sacramento valley, as well as river shipping officials, are expected to attend the two-day conference on the water problems of the Sacramento river, January 25-26, in the auditorium of the Sacramento chamber of commerce.

Fire destroyed the beautiful Pebble Beach home of Charles Piers of San Francisco. Because of the richness of the furnishings the loss was heavy.

Editor Roling G. Watkins of the Monterey Peninsula Herald, has been named secretary of the chamber of commerce for the coming year.

Cold weather last week rendered practically worthless almost 10 per cent of the naval orange crop in southern California, according to reports made to the state agricultural director. Serious damage resulted also to 25 per cent of the lemon crop, the report said.

Edward H. Carleton, 22, tried for the murder of Special Officer Robert Magee during an attempt to rob a fashionable Wilshire home, was found guilty by jury in Los Angeles county Superior court and sentenced to life imprisonment.

R. Wood, member of the I. W. W., cited for violation of an injunction by Sacramento county Superior court, was found guilty and fined $250, in default of which he must serve a jail sentence of 250 days. Wood offered no defense.

Three indictments, charging former county auditor, Charles A. Pool, with embezzlement were dismissed at Santa Rosa by Superior Judge Campbell on motion of the district attorney, who admitted insufficient evidence.

Edward Brownell, doorkeeper at the San Francisco Orpheum, theatre, was held up and robbed by a pair of 2-gun bandits, of $7,000 which he was taking the bank. The robbery took place inside the theatre and just outside the manager's office

C. A. Ross, wealthy San Diego and Los Angeles real estate man, was instantly killed at his San Marcos ranch home near San Diego. His head was crushed by the flywheel of a pumping engine.

A three-story reinforced concrete hotel building with cement exterior and tile roof is to be erected at Polo Alto for a corporation of business men. It will contain 150 rooms with baths and will cost $250,000.

The Commodore Stockton post of Spanish war veterans have united in a petition to the Military Order of the Serpent for a charter. Already several of the local veterans are members of the order.

The validity of the joint county bridge across the Bear river, to be built by Yuba and Sutter counties will be tested in the Superior court at Marysville by the Yuba board of supervisors.

The Sacramento supervisors have voted $3,500 to the California Development association as the county's share of the exhibit of California in the ferry building at San Francisco.

That 2,831,452 pieces of advertising literature and letters were sent out by the Los Angeles chamber during 1923, was shown in the annual report of that civic body.

Washington Bailey, pioneer of 98 years, passed away at Los Gatos.

W. Montague Williams, San Francisco author-playwright, is dead.

The third annual Los Angeles horse show opens February 25.

Whittier rejected six civic measures at a special election.

A $1,600,00 Glendale bond issue carried by 2 to 1.

District Attorney Negrich has notified the Amador county board of supervisors that he will retire in April.

J. Voss, aged rancher of the Soda Canyon district, was found dead in bed at his poultry ranch by neighbors.

The Redding-Alturas highway over the Sierra mountains is open to travel with virtually no snow.

A course of landscape gardening is being offered in the Petaluma evening high school.

Southern California expects to be enriched by at least $150,000,000 in 1924 by tourists.

Whenever a family moves into the town of Compton, a card of welcome is sent them.

The cauliflower crop in Colma district has languished for lack of moisture.

Not to be outdone by the men with their bachelor hotels, San Pedro women have plans to erect a hotel bearing the sign "for women only."

Sacramento county grand jury returned indictments against forty-eight persons, charging violations of the prohibition laws of the state.

Mrs. Nellie D. Egan, widow of the late Daniel R. Egan, and one of the pioneer residents of Petoluma, died after a brief illness.

Stanley A. Smith, Stanford professor of French, has returned after spending a year and a half in France, Italy and Belgium.

Easy Bird mine at Mokelumne Hill, near Stockton, is to resume operations at once, under the direction of the Union Gold Mining company.

An organized fight has been started in Napa valley against the establishment of a motor bus line from Calistoga through Napa Valley into Sonoma and Marin counties to Sausalito.

A truck load of deer meat from thirty-five deer which perished in a canal near Placerville was taken to the Folsom prison, and convicts are feasting on venison out of season.

A majority of the members of the San Francisco Stock Exchange are in favor of the formation of a single exchange in that city for the buying and selling of stocks and bonds.

After being tried three times on a statutory offense, "Blackie" Davis, ex-convict of Fort Bragg, was convicted by jury to a term in prison not exceeding fifty years.

Edward Wilkins of Fowler, near Fresno, a child of 9, was burned to death when he was dressing in front of an open fire and a spark ignited his clothing.

William Thomas Cohen, 15, was accidently killed by his brother Howard, 13, while playing with a .22 rifle on the ranch of their father west of Cloverdale.

First payment under group life insurance plan adopted by the Southern Pacific, effective January 1, was made to Mrs. E. M. Howorth of Los Angeles.

The Tightner gold mine at Aleghany, Sierra county, has been sold to the Clark interests of Montana. The Montana owners have operated the mine under option for two years. Final payment was $100,000.

Citizens of Sacramento will be engaged in planting trees, shrubs, bulbs and seeds the week of January 20, the first annual "community planting week," to be staged under the direction of the chamber of commerce.

California's perishable fruit crop for the year will be well over 70,000 cars, according to the head of the perishable fruit department of the Southern Pacific—an increase over last year of 10,000 cars.

San Francisco is scheduled to become the producing headquarters of leading Hollywood motion picture directors, according to plans now under consideration for the formation of a financing corporation.

Albert Johnson, 17, of Yuba City has filed suit against Charles Hartwig for $61,500 damages for an alleged assault; that Harwig, with whom young Johnson had been making his home, struck him with a club, breaking an arm.

Santa Ana physicians are seeking to determine the nature of a baffling malady which has attacked more than a thousand persons of that immediate vicinity within the last two weeks. The epidemic is of mild nature and while causing no great alarm at the outset, still is a source of worry to the medical profession because of its mysterious nature.

The appeals of two San Quentin prisoners, sentenced to death for murder, were denied by the Supreme court. Aureli Pompa, condemned Los Angeles murderer, was resentenced to pay the death penalty after his appeal was denied. He will be hung on March 7. J. V. Hendricks was taken back to San Diego, where he was convicted of murder, to be resentenced, following the denial of his appeal.

Edward Hammell, former service man who confessed to San Francisco police that he killed a stranger in the desert near Blythe, last November, in a fight, was taken to face a charge of murder by the sheriff of Riverside county. He will first be taken into the desert to look for the body.

To aid the small farmer in disposing of his products directly to the consumer, a committee of the fruit and agricultural bureau of the Sacramento chamber of commerce is making a thorough investigation nito to the establishment of a public farmers' market.

Miss Campbell in "Miss America" crown which she has won on two occasions.

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Famed Horse Had Tomb

Celer was the name of the famous horse of the Roman emperor, Verus. It was fed on almonds and raisins and housed in the imperial palace in robes of purple. When it died a mausoleum was erected in its honor and elaborate funeral ceremonies held.

Had the Better of Hippo

Two small boys were at the zoo gazing at the hippopotamus with round, startled eyes. "I don't like it," said the younger one, a bit scared. "Let's go away." "You needn't be frightened," said the elder brother. "Since we started zoology at school we know ever so much more about the ugly brute than he knows about himself."

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NICE, BROAD SHOULDER TO CRY ON

By FRANCES E. GALE

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RENA WORDEN was seventeen, brown-eyed, red-lipped, and before obtaining a filing clerk's place in the city office of Grindley & Son had exhausted a village library's stock of romantic fiction. She was assigned a screened-off corner in the room of Grindley, Junior, where the filing cases were temporarily placed owing to crowded accommodations.

"How's the old gentleman at your office behaving now? Grouchy yet?" inquired her roommate, Julia Grenell. It was some three weeks after Rena's advent in a boarding house where, at the table they had just left, her place was between Julia's and that of Martin Dyack, a young machinist, the reticence of whose speech did not wholly conceal the scope of his ambition.

"Grouchy! Yesterday he wanted a letter from the Jones-Marcus company, and after he'd looked in 'J—O' and 'M-a-r' he asked if I thought he'd be likely to find it in 'c-u-s' and said he'd like to find it in 'c-u-s-s.' It was in 'K-o'—you know. 'K' comes right next 'J', so it wasn't much out of place—but you should have seen the way he looked at me, and then he looked at his son."

"What did he do?"

"I didn't see his face. But he's always perfectly lovely to me."

Julia had thrown herself upon the bed. She laughed softly:

"'Lovely' sons often make grouchy fathers, dearie. The first place I worked was law. The son was just studying, and didn't have a cent but what his father gave him, and the senior didn't want him to marry."

"Did he want to marry you?" Envy, only half credulous, was in Rena's voice.

"If you'd seen him look at me you'd have known he wanted something. 'Dad' couldn't give me the air without a reasonable excuse. I was a good stenographer. But he made things so disagreeable that I looked for another job. I often think what might have happened if that boy had been junior partner."

Julia sighed. Presently she said:

"Andrew Grindley doesn't have to ask 'dad' for car fare. He belongs to the Country club, and drives his own."

Rena's eyes were wide, and starrily reminiscent. Later she tried on two blouses, deciding that one was more becoming than the other, and that she would wear the former tomorrow. Even in the less attractive garment Martin Dyack thought she looked very pretty as he stopped her in the hall to say:

"There's a good 'movie' at the Crescent. Don't you want to take it in?"

"No, thank you. I'm going out with Julia."

Over and through Rena's office clouds a rosy light shone with increasing brightness. As the caustic impatience of Grindley, Senior, grew, the courtesy of Grindley, Junior, also waxed, and the connection between the attitudes of the two men was dazzlingly illuminated by her sympathetic roommate to whom she retailed her daily struggle with the soulless monster, Office System. Julia asked roguishly each day if anything romantic had developed, and said that for her part she would rather never marry at all than be tied to a poor man, especially one whose position was advertised by his hands. Ugh!

Rain beat against the windows of the junior partner's office, suggesting a cozy aloofness to those inside. Rena's screen was folded back to give her more light. Grindley, Junior, sat writing, and Rena, as his pen paused, looked up to find her employer's eyes upon her with an expression she had never seen in them before. Her heart jumped, and she tried to keep the rising blush from flooding her face. The pen hurried on. She stole another glance at the face bent over the page. Again the rapt and blissful look, and again her eyes fell. The busy pen was part way down a fourth sheet when a caller's entrance caused the writer to hastily slip the pages into a drawer.

When he left with his visitor Rena gathered up scattered correspondence for filing. Sorting it she came upon a half-covered sheet, accidentally slipped in among the heaped papers. The words seemed to jump toward her:

"Your eyes interfere dreadfully with my work. I keep seeing them all the time, brown and deep and clear, yet always hiding something from me. Sometimes I feel that I must speak to you. How much longer—" There the writing stopped.

Rena's eyes were brown, and deep, and clear.

"A bell's buzz summoned her. She answered it in a dream.

"Miss Worden," said Grindley, Senior, "I have something to say to you. Sit down."

Rena, vaguely apprehensive through her abstraction, obeyed.

"I don't want to be hard upon you," Grindley, Senior, continued, "but I can't have my whole business disarranged by errors in your department. You may get your pay at the cashier's desk tomorrow, and I'd advise that you complete your business college course before taking another position."

Indignant, yet with something of the exaltation of the persecuted heroine, Rena rose. Julia was right. Here in real life was the implacable father of romance.

Next morning Rena, behind her screen, sat so motionless that when the junior partner arrived he did not know she was there. She would tell him of her dismissal, of course, and then— At that point her thoughts whirled, refusing to go on.

Keys rattled. A drawer was pulled out. Was he going to finish the letter?

The door opened, closed; there was a swish of silk. Grindley, Junior, leaped up. Rena heard his chair go rolling back against the wall with a thud. "You!" he cried. "Here! My darling!" And Rena heard another sound necessitating the co-operation of two persons.

As Rena came from behind her screen the young lady seated in Grindley, Junior's, chair gave a little scream. A traveling bag was upon the floor beside her; she was very pretty, and her eyes, as they indignantly met Rena's, were brown, and deep, and clear. What they hid from Grindley, Junior, was known only to herself, but they did not hide from Rena that their owner thought her an eavesdropper.

"Martin," said Rena that evening, "I've been fired."

She sat in a big chair in the living room, looking very little and young and woebegone. Tears gathered, brimmed, rolled down her cheeks. Martin jumped up and came to a low chair beside her.

"Fired!" he cried, hotly. "Why, what the—! Rena, don't cry." But she pulled out a handkerchief and sobbed into it.

"Was it the old man?"

Rena nodded.

"Didn't the other partner help you out?"

Rena lifted a flushed face. "He did not," she asserted snappishly. "What made you think he would?"

Martin said seriously: "Well, Julia has been telling me how sweet he's been on you. I don't blame him, but if he's got you into this he ought to stick by you and tell the old man what's what."

"Julia talks a great deal too much," Rena said resentfully. "What more did she tell you?"

"She said this chap wanted to take you out and show you a good time, and she kind of insinuated that she was the only girl in the world who would stand for a fellow who worked with his hands. It was beginning to make me sore."

"He never wanted to take me out." Rena's voice shook with the energy of her denial. "I can't bear him. And I think a man ought to work. What are hands made for?"

Martin looked down at his own hands which plainly evidenced their daily use. Then he looked up.

"My hands are made to work for you, Rena, if you want them to," he said simply, and when Rena cried this time she had a nice, broad shoulder to cry on.

Birds Far Outclassed by Fastest Airplane

Man, after being hopelessly inferior since the beginning of time in the matter of speed to the birds, beasts and fishes, has, within the last few years, with the aid of his mechanical inventions, outstripped them all, and even in the air is able to travel faster than the swiftest-winged birds.

The airplane has shown that many birds are not nearly so speedy as had been thought. Wild ducks and geese are not able to exceed a mile a minute, and the snipe and golden plover can only beat this by about ten miles an hour.

The fastest of British birds, the peregrine falcon, flying on the level, can reach 100 miles an hour, which speed can certainly be doubled in the case of a headlong swoop from a height on to its quarry.

The spine-tailed swift, which breeds in the mountains of northeastern Asia, is the fastest bird in the world, being capable, it is estimated, of about 200 miles an hour.

But even this is a good deal less than is possible with the most modern airplanes. The present record is held by the American Curtiss navy racer machine, with a 500 horse power engine, which has attained a speed of 266 miles an hour. This was, of course, on a straight course, and as an airplane can dive at anything up to three times its maximum on the level, this machine should be capable of well over 500 miles an hour when so doing.

Where Colors Come From

Many nations and races contribute to the paint-maker's art. Manufacturers secure such dry pigments as umber from Italy and Turkey, red oxide from Spain, Van Dyke brown from Holland. They bring from the Orient and Europe delicate colors made with the bland poppy-seed oil as a mixer. The western hemisphere is dependent on half a dozen countries for drying oil, both in art and industry. The earliest painters knew but four colors: white, yellow, red, black. Tyrian royal purple, the most famous and costliest color the world has known, came into use only some 3,000 years ago.

Big Electric Generator

The largest electric generator in the world is now in operation at Niagara Falls. It consists of a 70,000-horsepower, single runner, vertical shaft, hydraulic turbine, attached to a generator delivering 52,000 kilowatts at 12,000 volts. However, it uses only the same amount of water formerly used by seven 5,000-horsepower units and delivers energy equivalent to the output of fourteen such units.

MAKING GOOD IN A SMALL TOWN

Real Stories About Real Girls

By MRS. HARLAND H. ALLEN

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THERE'S MONEY IN MILLINERY

ALMOST any "Main Street" girl can make money, if she has the millinery magic in her fingers.

And almost any "Main Street" offers as a market a whole town full of women with the "hat habit." That's how a village milliner who freshened my own hat almost past recognition, after I had been caught in a thunder shower while passing through her town, put it. The "hat habit," it seems, is a craze for new chapeaux, whether needed or not, to the tune of two or three a season.

"Small town women are just as enthusiastic about having fresh millinery, in new models, every few months, as city women are," she declared. "I make over their old hats, or give them new creations, just as they like."

Although millinery used to be as seasonal as the coal business, and had its one high peak in the spring season, when the rush for the annual "Easter bonnet" was on, it is now an all-the-year-round proposition. It may be started on small capital and may be profitably carried on in any community where there are a number of women who care about the quality and beauty of their headgear. The milliner's initial success depends on her skill, and the neatness and quality of her work. The questions of location, pretentiousness of business quarters and size of stock are secondary ones at the start.

Even for the girl who has a decided knack for making hats, a course in millinery or an apprenticeship in a city shop are valuable training, almost indispensable to her success when she is in business for herself. But such training is inexpensive, and the profits of a successful milliner are large. The prospective hat maker should learn how to design, make and trim hats of all kinds for every season and every purpose, for women and children of all ages. She can start her shop on a small scale right in her own home, or in one small room in a downtown store. For only a little money she can equip herself with an attractive assortment of various samples and materials in the popular shades. She should buy her materials in small quantities, at first, only as she requires them for special orders. Later, she will, of course, save money by buying wholesale. Newspaper advertising, and personal communication, by letter, telephone or personal call, are the best means by which the milliner can get customers.

RUNNING A WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

"YOU'LL never get rich," perhaps someone remarks, "running a woman's exchange."

Now, it is quite true that the small-town girl who organizes such an agency won't "get rich." Neither, in all probability, will the woman who markets her wares there. And yet, one girl, who did start just such an organization, is enthusiastic in her praise of the nationally-known institution, which, as she says, "assists without demoralizing"—the woman's exchange.

"The woman's exchange has helped thousands to become self-supporting," she says. "As for the proprietress, she not only makes a living at the work, but feels that she has a worth-while job."

The most remarkable thing about the woman's exchange is that it has succeeded in so standardizing the home woman's output that it is certain to be as perfect as a factory product. It has overcome her too intense individualism and taught her to use that scientific care which will mean uniform high quality. The proprietress should never, therefore, through mistaken charity, accept work that is poorly executed, of inferior material or out-of-date. To do so will but lead to disappointment all around.

Possibly she can get the co-operation of existing organizations or business houses and persuade them to donate space for the project in return for the advertising and good will it would bring them. The "Y" rooms, or the rest room established for out-of-town women might be available. She might run the exchange on this basis: payment of one dollar to entitle a woman to place work on sale for six months, with the deduction of twenty per cent commission from the selling price of all fancy work. The charge for selling other goods could be arranged before hand in each case. Consignors should be permitted to withdraw all goods at any time; but to do so should mean that they would forfeit their membership unless they preferred to pay twenty per cent on all goods removed. Of course, these fees and commissions may vary to meet local conditions. The consignor should be presented with a statement acknowledging receipt of the goods, and the receipt would have to be presented by her if she asked for the return of her wares. A good ruling is that articles may not be removed during the month of December.

The rules vary; but whenever serving women is as important as earning wages—try running a Woman's Exchange.

GRAVEYARD HAD ITS INCEPTION IN JOKE

Man's Jesting Proposal Carried Out by Companions.

On the great Warner ranch in San Diego county, Calif., a few miles from the hot springs resort, is a little cluster of seven graves. They are just off the frequently traveled road leading to Montezuma and San Felipe valleys, but are not visible from the road and very few of the residents of that section are aware of their existence. No fence surrounds them, and but for a few fragments of a single marble slab they would not be noticed by a pedestrian who might walk over them.

But in the origin of this little burying ground is a story of throbbing interest. The graves are on a knoll a few hundred feet back of the old Butterfield stage station in Buena Vista valley, one of the stopping places of what was the longest stage line in the world, extending from St. Louis to San Francisco, in operation before the Civil war.

Through the middle part of the little Buena Vista valley runs a cienaga with a line of large cottonwood trees, affording water and shade to some of the many thousand sleek cattle which range the big ranch, says the Los Angeles Times. The stage station, built of adobe, with wooden "lean-to" and porches, was not only patronized by cross-country travelers, but was also a resort for the prospectors who thronged that region in the early days, and the cattlemen who looked after the herds in the surrounding territory. Saturday night always found a crowd of these rough-and-ready frontiersmen gathered at the station, where they spent the evening swapping stories, gambling, drinking and carousing generally.

On the Sunday morning following a particularly wild carousal, when all were partly stupefied from the night's orgy, some one remarked:

"Well, we done about everything there was to do last night, but if anybody can start anything new we will do it now."

Said another, stretching himself and yawning: "Well, the only thing I can think of that we did not do was to start a graveyard."

"That's right," said the first speaker. "We did not do that, but we'll do it right now, and you'll be the one we'll start it with."

The new idea was welcomed by all except the one who suggested it. A range rider produced a rope, and the victim was escorted to a large sycamore tree a few hundred feet from the house. The rope was thrown over a limb, and, as they thought, adjusted about the man's neck so as not to strangle him—for no one really intended to take his life. Then he was hauled up into the air, and with much hilarity the rest of the company went into the house to breakfast, leaving the unfortunate victim of their practical joke helplessly dangling.

Returning to the sycamore tree after breakfast to release their companion from his uncomfortable position, they found him dead. In their befuddled condition they had bungled in adjusting the rope, and he had been choked to death.

After they had cut the body down and it was evident life could not be restored, a consultation was held, and it was decided, without inquest or other official action, to bury the body. It was taken to the top of the knoll back of the stage station, and then and there the graveyard was started, as its first occupant had suggested.

Vegetable Sponge Edible

In Algeria an extensive industry has been developed in the cultivation of what are known as vegetable sponges. The chief market for the product is Paris, although specimens are not uncommon in the United States. They have come into extensive use for the toilet, the bathroom and various other domestic purposes.

Prior to maturity the fruit is edible, but when the stage of ripeness has been passed the fibrous matter becomes separated from the pulp and forms a tough, spongy mass. The material is prepared for the market by being bleached in a weak lime bath.—Grit.

Canada's Gold Production

Louis D. Huntoon, former professor of mining and metallurgy at Yale university, predicts that within a few years Canada will surpass the United States in gold production. He points out that since 1915 Canada's output has increased rapidly, while in the United States it has undergone a steady decline. Canada's gold production in 1923 was valued at $25,294,000, and he expresses the opinion that this year it will rise to $30,000,000.

His Chance

"Don't you think that if I had lived in the olden days I would have made a good knight?" asked the young man who had bored her for hours describing a cinema picture he had seen.

"I don't care so much what you would have made then," observed the girl, wearily, "but you might try to see what kind of a good night you can make now."

Ingenious Squirrel

At Epping, N. H., a squirrel was seen playing in a sugar maple tree near the schoolhouse, and a closer inspection revealed the fact that he had gnawed the under side of a limb and, hanging on his four feet, was sucking the sap that oozed out. He repeated this performance several times.

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She—Why, Johnny, I haven't time! Really! There are my mah-jongg and motor lessons.—London Answers.

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Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it.

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The child had been greatly impressed by her first experience in Sunday school.

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Lulu—But ma, I already had it.

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Mrs. Newlyblessed.—But you certainly don't object to such a wee little baby as that?

Janitor—Oh, it ain't the size as counts, mum; it's the principle of the thing.—Judge.

SOMEWHAT SHY.

"You ought to be able to sell some brick ice cream around here."

Druggust—Mebbe so; but our people have bought so many gold bricks that they shy at anything in the brick form.

Unpopular

"I don't like to talk against my neighbors," said old Riley Rezzidew of Petunia. "Such practices don't get you anywhere, and may do the subject a great wrong. But, anyhow, now that he has gone from us, I guess it won't do any particular harm to say that at Canute J. Piggott's funeral so few people cared anything about his passing away that it was necessary to pay pallbearers before they would carry the coffin out."—Kansas City Star.

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Coin Struck at Time of Roman Domination

While digging in war ruins near Arras a French workman found a Roman coin of extraordinary interest to the antiquarian and student of history. It is a gold coin, one and a half inches in diameter, and in value the Roman equivalent of the English sovereign, or the American $5 gold piece. It commemorates the relief of London from an invasion of Frankish barbarians by the Roman General Constantius in the year 296 A. D.

The coin shows the Roman general who was the father of Constantine the Great, being received in grateful homage by the city of London, following its deliverance. The town is shown as a fortified place with a gate and wall, and is identified by name underneath. The coin carries the curious legend, "Redditor Lucis Aeternae," "Restorer of Eternal Light." This may be symbolic expression of restoration to the blessings of civilization, but by some it is thought to refer to the cult of Mithras, then popular throughout the empire, and of which the Roman general was a devotee.

Yorkshire Lays Claim to "Darby and Joan"

The much-sung "Darby and Joan" were supposed to be a Yorkshire (England) couple, who lived at Healaugh, near the town of Tadcaster. The Darbys were blacksmiths there for several generations. The story that the duke of Wharton used to tell of this ideal couple who lived on his father's place, became the subject of many poems. A writer says: "My father, who knew the last Darby well, used to tell me how, as a boy, old Darby used to repeat to him stories his grandfather used to tell him about the battle of Marston Moor, which he as a boy saw something of, his father being blacksmith at the time—one of these stories being, that during the progress of the battle an officer of the rebel forces came to have his horse shod. Darby refused, and was threatened by the officer, who was subsequently brought in wounded and died in the smithy. There are several members of the Darby family buried at Healaugh."

Trouble Enough

A cashier at a bank turned up looking pale and haggard.

"What's wrong, old chap?" inquired one of his colleagues.

"Toothache," groaned the other, "had not a wink of sleep all night."

"Ah," said his colleague safely, "you should try the Coue system. Just repeat to yourself 50 times every day, 'Get behind me, pain.'"

"Not likely," snapped the sufferer, angrily. "Do you think I want lumbago?"—Minneapolis Tribune.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1924. Every person entitled thereto must register thirty days before any election at which he or she desires to vote. Registration for the purpose of voting at municipal elections for towns of the sixth class closes March 14, 1924. Registration for the purpose of voting at Presidential Primary election closes April 5, 1924. Registration for purpose of voting at August Primary election closes July 26, 1924. Registration for the purpose of voting at General election closes October 4, 1924.

You may register with the county clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated January 10, 1924.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County
State of California.

The following are the Registration Deputies:

Richmond—A. C. Faris, L.W. Brougham, City Hall; Miss Georgia Johnson, 208 Richmond ave; R. P. Vaughn, 610 Macdonald ave; Miss Fannie Nesbit, 621 Bissell ave; H. G. Stidman, 621 Washington ave; M. J Gordon, 321 Macdonald ave; H. O. Watson, 931 Macdonald ave; Mrs. Lillian Blake, 2802 Cutting blvd; R. V. March, 426 7th st.; R. L. Webb, 5706 Highland ave.

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San Pablo—Frank Silva, Mrs Grace Silva, Mrs Lillie Whisler. f.04

A letter addressed to "Mr. Morning Eagle, Holyoke, Mass.," was forwarded to the Berkshire Eagle, Pittsfield, but the editor found that it was a personal letter addressed by an Indian in Montana to an Indian in Massachusetts, and he sent it back to Holyoke in the hope that it might be delivered to Mr. Morning Eagle, says the Boston Globe.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE AT PRIVATE SALE

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the guardianship of the person and estate of Henry Huntley Haight, III, Minor.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Dora B. Haight, guardian of the person and estate of Henry Huntley Haight, III, minor, will sell at private sale in one parcel to the highest and best bidder for cash in lawful money of the United States, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, and subject to confirmation by the Superior Court on or after the 6th day of October, 1924, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said Henry Huntly Haight, III, minor, the same being an undivided one-fourth (¼) interest of, in and to all the following described real property situated, lying and being in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at the southwestern corner of Block "J," as shown and designated on map hereinafter mentioned, and running thence N 35 deg. 18 min. W along the southwestern line of said lot 190.70 feet, thence S 65 deg. 54 min. E 51.64 feet, thence southeasterly along the arc of a circular curve to the right, tangent to last course, with a radius of 264.70 feet, 118 58-100 feet, thence S 40 deg. 14 min. E 27.67 feet to the southerly line of Block J, thence S 48 deg. 46 min. W 64.84 feet to the point of beginning, containing 0.1841 acres. Being a portion of Block J, as shown and so designated on Map of subdivision lot 1, San Pablo Rancho, filed in the office of the County Recorder of Contra Costa County, in Book C of Maps, page 46. Together with a right of way for a public road of a uniform width of twenty feet adjoining and northeasterly from the northeasterly boundary line of said piece of land, to-wit: the line embraced in the second, third and fourth courses of the above description and reserving a right of way for a public road of a uniform width of twenty feet, adjoining and southwesterly from the northeasterly boundary line of said piece of land, to-wit: the line embraced in the second, third and fourth courses of the above description.

Terms and conditions of sale: Cash in lawful money of the United States, ten (10) per cent of the purchase price to be paid at the time of sale, balance on confirmation of sale by the Court.

All bids and offers must be in writing and may be left at the office of Fitzgerald, Abbott and Beardsley, attorneys for the guardian of said minor, at room No. 616, the Oakland Bank Building, situated on the northeast corner of Broadway and Twelfth street in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, or may be filed in the office of the Clerk of this Court at any time after the first publication of this notice and before the making of the said sale, or may be delivered to said guardian personally in the City of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California.

Dated: September 18th, 1924.

DORA B. HAIGHT,
Guardian of the person and estate of Henry Huntley Haight, III, minor,
Fitzgerald, Abbott & Beardsley, Attys. for Guardian. Oakland Bank Bldg. Oakland, Cal. s19-26-o3

SHERIFF'S SALE

First National Bank of Turlock, a corporation, Plaintiff, vs. E. B. Rendell, Defendant.

Justice's Court, Turlock Township, Stanislaus County, State of California.

Under and by virtue of a writ of execution to me directed, issued out of the Justice's Court of the County of Stanislaus, Turlock Township, State of California, on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1924, in the above entitled action wherein the First National Bank of Turlock, a corporation, recovered a judgment against E. B. Rendell, which judgment was duly entered and docketed on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1924, for the sum of Two Hundred and Twenty Dollars ($220.00) damages, gold coin, with interest $15.92 and $13 costs and accruing costs, I have levied upon and taken under execution all the right, title and interest which the said E. B. Rendell had or held on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1924, or at any time subsequent thereto, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and described as follows:

Lot twelve (12) and the south ten feet of Lot eleven (11), in Block 123, City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California.

Together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging.

Public notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 30th day of September, A. D. 1924, at 11 o'clock a. m. of that day, in front of the Courthouse in the town of Martinez, County of Contra Costa, I will sell all the right, title and interest which the said defendant, E. B. Rendell, had or held on the 28th day of August, 1924, the day on which said judgment was docketed as aforesaid, or which he may have subsequently acquired in and to the above described property, to the highest bidder for gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Martinez, August 30, 1924.

R. R. VEALE,
Sheriff of Contra Costa County.
W. I. Titus, Attorney for Plaintiff, Turlock, California. s5-12-19-26

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